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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

Matt:

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As a result of our brief discussion of the Support Officers Development Program at my Staff Meeting this morning, [REDACTED] brought to me this afternoon the attached comments by [REDACTED]. I have a lot of confidence in [REDACTED] judgment and feel for this sort of thing.

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Regardless of what else may be wrong, I think that most of the problem would be resolved if we could tell these people what their assignments will be upon completion of this course even though, in some cases, it may not be what they want to hear. To this end I asked [REDACTED] to ensure that each student is interviewed privately within the next few days to make sure we know his or her desires. I also requested that requirements for their services from the Support offices as well as the Clandestine Services be expedited as much as possible.

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I hope that two weeks prior to the completion of this course we can tell each of these people exactly what his first assignment will be. In some cases this may be a temporary assignment pending an overseas assignment later this year, but in any case, unless something happens which I can't at the moment foresee, there will be no uncertainty about where they are to report for work immediately following the course.

If there is anything I can do to improve the course itself or to be of assistance in any other way, I hope that you will let me know.

/s/ L. K. White

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Att: Memo dtd 10 Feb 65 to DD/Pers fr
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